

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-28. (Cancelled)

29. (New) A method of extinguishing an oil fire from an oil fire containing surface, comprising the step of:

- (i) applying finely crushed glass to the fire containing surface, wherein the glass forms clumps with the oil at the fire-containing surface and the oil-glass clumps sink below the top surface of the oil; thereby reducing the intensity of the fire from the fire containing surface or effectively extinguishing the fire from the fire containing surface.

30. (New) The method according to claim 29, wherein the finely crushed glass is formed by the process of crushing glass using an impact crusher, hammer mill, cone crusher or a roller crusher.

31. (New). The method according to claim 30, wherein the finely crushed glass is formed by the process of crushing glass using a roller crusher.

32. (New) The method according to claim 30, wherein the finely crushed glass is screened using at least one mesh.

33. (New). The method according to claim 30, wherein the finely crushed glass is dried to at least to 100°F.

34. (New) The method according to claim 30, wherein the finely crushed glass is colored glass.

35. (New) The method according to claim 32, wherein the mesh is an inch mesh.

36. (New) The method according to claim 32, wherein the mesh is a 40 mesh.

37. (New) The method according to claim 32, wherein the crushed glass is screened through at least two meshes.
38. (New) The method according to claim 32, wherein the crushed glass is dried to at least 100°F after screening through the mesh.
39. (New) The method according to claim 33, wherein the crushed glass is dried to at least 350°F.
40. (New) The method according to claim 32, wherein the crushed glass is screened through a 40 mesh, 30 mesh or 20 mesh.
41. (New) The method according to claim 29, further comprising the step of recycling the oil-glass clumps as petroleum silica based products, water repellent products, roof shingles, asphalt or fuel cake.

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